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GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR

NOTIFICATIONS

The 26th November, 2013.

No.HPL.116/2008/Pt/133 - In pursuance of the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court dated 18.07.2013 passed in WP(Crl.) 129 of 2006 Laxmi vs. Union of India and others, it is hereby brought to the notice of the general public, which includes individuals, educational and research institutions, hospitals, industries, Government Departments and Public Sector Undertakings or sellers that the State Government has issued an order vide No. HPL.116/2008/Pt./120 dt.23.09.2013 that seeks to regulate the sale of following acids and corrosive substances:

- (i) Acetic acid (beyond 25% concentration by weight);
- (ii) Acetic Anhydride;
- (iii) Sulphuric acid (H_2SO_4) (beyond 5% concentration by weight);
- (iv) Hydrochloric acid (HCl) (beyond 5% concentration by weight);
- (v) Phosphoric acid (H_3PO_4);
- (vi) Hydrofluoric acid (HF);
- (vii) Perchloric acid ($HClO_4$);
- (viii) Formic acid (beyond 10% concentration by weight);
- (ix) Hydrocyanic acid except substances containing less than 0.1 per cent weight in weight of hydrocyanic acid;
- (x) Hydrochloric acid, except substances containing less than 5 per cent weight in weight of hydrochloric acid;
- (xi) Nitric acid, except substances containing less than 5 per cent weight in weight of nitric acid;
- (xii) Oxalic acid;
- (xiii) Perchloride of mercury (corrosive sublimate);
- (xiv) Potassium hydroxide except substances containing less than 2 per cent weight in weight of potassium hydroxide;
- (xv) Sodium hydroxide except substances containing less than 2 per cent weight in weight of sodium hydroxide;
- (xvi) Hydrogen peroxide (beyond 50% concentration by weight);
- (xvii) Formaldehyde (beyond 25% concentration by weight);
- (xviii) Phenol (beyond 3% concentration by weight);
- (xix) Sodium Hypochlorite Sol.

2. The afore-mentioned Government order stipulates as follows:

- (i) Over the counter sale of acid is completely prohibited unless the **seller** maintains a **log/register** recording the sale of acid which shall contain the **details of the person(s)** to whom acid(s) is/are sold, the quantity sold, and the **address of the person** to whom it is sold etc.
- (ii) No acid shall be sold to any person who is **below 18 years** of age.
- (iii) All sellers shall sell acid only after the **buyer** has shown:
 - (a) a **photo ID issued by the Government** which also has the address of the person.
 - (b) **specific reason/purpose** for procuring acid.
- (iv) All stocks of acid must be declared by the **seller** with the concerned District Magistrate or Sub-Divisional Magistrate (SDM), as the case may be, **within 15 days** of this order.
- (v) In case if any undeclared stock of acid is detected, the concerned District Magistrate / SDM will confiscate the stock and suitably impose **fine on such sellers up to Rs.50,000/-**.
- (vi) The concerned District Magistrate / SDM may impose **fine up to Rs.50,000/-** on any person who commits breach of any of the above directions.

3. The order further stipulates that the educational institutions, research laboratories, hospitals, Government Departments and the departments of Public Sector Undertakings, who are required to keep and store acid, shall follow the following guidelines:

- (i) A register of usage of acid shall be maintained and the same shall be filled with the concerned District Magistrate / SDM.
- (ii) A person shall be made accountable for possession and safe keeping of acid in their premises.
- (iii) The acid shall be stored under the supervision of this person and there shall be compulsory checking of the students / personnel leaving the laboratories / place of storage where acid is used.

4. All the District Magistrates and Sub Divisional Magistrate shall be responsible for taking appropriate action in the event of breach/default/violation of the above directions, within their respective jurisdictions.

5. All the buyers and sellers of acids and corrosive substances shall follow the above directions scrupulously.

Joint Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Home (Police) Department.

The 26th November, 2013.

No.HPL.116/2008/Pt/134 – Da kaba buddien ia ka jingbthah jong ka Iingshari ba ha khlieh duh jong ka India, ka Supreme Court kaba 18.07.2013 ia kaba la pas ha WP (Crl.)129 ka snem 2006 Laxmi pyrshah ia ka Union of India bad kiwei, kane ka long ka jingpynbna paidbah, kynthup ia ki riewshimet, ki jaka pule bad ki jaka ba leh ia ki jingwad bniah, ki hospital, ki karkhana, ki tnat sorkar bad ki tnat treikam kiba hap hapoh ka sorkar lane ki nongdie, ba ka Sorkar Jylla ka la pynmih ia ka hukum No.HPL 116/2008/Pt./120 tarik 23.09.2013 ban pynbeit ryntih ia ka jingdie ia kine ki dawai ne kynja ba long acid bad ki dawai ba pynpdung:

- (i) Acetic acid (ba palat 25% ka acid haba thew);
- (ii) Acetic Anhydride;
- (iii) Suplhuric acid ($H_2 SO_4$) (ba palat ia ka 5% ka acid haba thew);
- (iv) Hydrochloric acid (HCl)) (ba palat ia ka 5% ka acid haba thew);
- (v) Phosphoric acid ($H_3 PO_4$);
- (vi) Hydrofluoric acid (HF);
- (vii) Perchloric acid ($HClO_4$);
- (viii) Formic acid (palat 10% ka acid haba thew);
- (ix) Hydrocyanic acid, lait noh kito kiba don duna ia ka 0.1% ka jingthew jong ka Hydrocyanic Acid;
- (x) Hydrochloric acid, lait noh kito kiba don duna ia ka 5% ka jingthew jong ka Hydrochloric Acid;
- (xi) Nitric acid, lait noh kito kiba don duna ia ka 5% ka jingthew jong ka nitric acid;
- (xii) Oxalic acid;
- (xiii) Perchloride lane mercury (ki kynja dawai ba pynpdung);
- (xiv) Potassium hydroxide lait noh kito kiba don duna ia ka 2% ka jingthew jong ka Potassium hydroxide;
- (xv) Sodium hydroxide lait noh kito kiba don duna ia ka 2% ka jingthew jong ka Sodium hydroxide ;
- (xvi) Hydrogen peroxide (palat 50% ka hydrogen peroxide haba thew);
- (xvii) Formaldehyde (palat 25% ka formaldehyde haba thew);
- (xviii) Phenol (palat 3 % ka phenol haba thew);
- (xix) Sodium Hypochlorite Sol.

Kane harum ka long ka jingbthah jong ka sorkar halor katei ka hukum ba la kdew haneng :

- (i) La mana ban die paidbah ia ka acid lait noh tang lada u nongdie u buh ia ka rejistar kaba pyni ia ka jingdie ia ka acid kaba dei ban don ia ki jingtip ba bniah shaphang u nongthied ia ka acid, katno la die bad ka jaka sah jong u nongthied bad kiwei.
 - (ii) Ym dei ban die ia ki acid sha ki briew ki bym pat kot 18 snem karta.
 - (ii) Ki nongdie ki lah ban die ia ka acid tang lada u nongthied u pyni ia ka.
 - (a) Photo ID ba aid a ka sorkar kaba don ia ka kyrteng ka jaka sah jong u.
 - (b) Ka daw/jingthmu ba thied ia ka acid.
 - (iv) U nongdie u dei ban pyntip ia ka jingdon ka acid ha dukan sha u District Magistrate lane Sub-Divisional Magistrate (SDM), hapoh 15 sngi naduh ba pynmih ia kane ka hukum.
 - (v) Lada jia ba lap ba khlem pyntip ia ka jingdon ka acid ha ka dukan u District Magistrate/SDM un kurup noh ia ka ryngkat ka kuna ia ki nongdie kaba haduh T.50,000/-
 - (vi) U District Magistrate/SDM u lah ban dain kuna haduh T.50,000/- ia uno uno uba pynkhein ia kitei ki jingbthah haneng.
3. Shuh shuh, katei ka hukum ka kren shai ruh ba ki jaka pule, ki laboratory wad bniah, ki hospital, ki tnat sorkar bad ki tnat kiba pyniaid ka sorkar kiba donkam ban buh ia ka acid ki dei ban bud ia kine ki jingbthah harum:
- (i) Ka jingbuh ia ka rejistar kaba pyni ia ka jingpyndonkam ia ka acid bad ia kane dei ban phah jingthoh ruh sha ki District Magistrate/SDM
 - (ii) Dei ban buh ia u briew u ban shim jingkitkhlieh ban buh bha ia ka acid ha ka jaka jong u.
 - (iii) Ia ka acid dei ban buh hapoh ka jingpeit jong uta u briew bad ka dei ban don ka jingjurip ia ki khynnah pule/ki nongtrei haba ki mih na ki laboratory/ka jaka ha kaba la pyndonkam ia ka acid.
4. Baroh ki District Magistrate bad Sub-Divisional Magistrate ki dei ban shim ia ka jingkitkhlieh ban leh da kaba tynggeh lada don ka jingpynkhein/iaid lait ia kitei ki jingbthah haneng.
5. Baroh ki nongthied bad ki nongdie ia ki acid bad ki kynja ba pynpdung ki dei ban bud adkar ia kitei ki jingbthah haneng.

Joint Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Home (Police) Department.

The 26th November, 2013.

No.HPL.116/2008/Pt/135 - Laxmi Vs. Indian Union ni mamla-o pangchake, Supreme Court 2013 bilsini July jani 18 tariko adita ge.etanirangko onaha je, mande sakantina, School aro Collegerangna, Research Instituterangna, Hospitalrangna, Karkanarangna, Sorkarini Departmentrangna, Public Sector Undertakingrangna aro plak palgiparangna, kamao meskokatgipa acidrangko aro uandakgipa bosturangko palaniko rakkate nirok simsakna gita Adok Sorkari Order No HPL.116/2008/Pt./120 tarik 23.09.2013 dakaha:

- (i) Acetic acid (25% na agre jrimani batgija)
- (ii) Acetic Anhydride;
- (iii) Sulphuric acid (H_2SO_4)(5% na agre jrimani batgija);
- (iv) Hydrochloric acid (HCl) (5% na agre jrimani batgija);
- (v) Phosphoric acid (H_3PO_4);
- (vi) Hydrofluoric acid (HF);
- (vii) Perchloric acid ($HClO_4$);
- (viii) Formic acid (10% na agre jrimani batgija);
- (ix) Hydrocyanic acid, 0.1 per cent na jrimanio komigipa bosturang, Hydrocyanic acid-ni jrimani gita ong'a.
- (x) Hydrochloric acid 5 per cent na jrimanio komigipa bosturang, Hydrochloric acid-ni jrimani gita ong'a.
- (xi) Nitric acid 5 per cent na jrimanio komigipa bosturang, Nitric acid-ni jrimani gita ong'a.
- (xii) Oxalic acid
- (xiii) Perchloride of Mercury (corrosive sublimate);
- (xiv) Potassium Hydroxide 2 per cent na jrimanio komigipa bosturang Potassium Hydroxide-ni jrimani gita ong'a.
- (xv) Sodium Hydroxide 2 per cent na jrimanio komigipa bosturang Sodium Hydroxide-ni jrimani gita ong'a.
- (xvi) Hydrogen peroxide (25% na agre jrimani batgija);
- (xvii) Formaldehyde (26% na agre jrimani batgija);
- (xviii)Pheno (3 % na agre jrimani batgija);
- (xix) Sodium hypochlorite Sol.

2. Janapgimin Sorkarini ge.etanio ka.mao mesokatengani gita indake donsoaha je;
 - (i) Dokanrango acidko palaniko, paltingiparang, sana, badita aro bregipa mandeni chu.gimik address aro mandeni gimin chu.gimik talataniko serikani register ba ki.tapo see rakkijaskal, mamung dakeba acidko skatang palna man.jawa.
 - (ii) Acidko bilsa 18 na komigipa manderangna palna man.jawa.
 - (iii) Acidko palgiparang, bre.enggiparang ka.mao on.atenggipa lekkarangko mesokani ja.manosa palna man.gen;
 - (a) Sorkarini on.gimin lekka jeon bre.enggipa mandeni photo aro address gnang.
 - (b) Acidko mai a.sel ba nanganina bre.enga uarangko talatani lekka.
 - (iv) Ia ge.etaniko man.ani sal 15 ni gisepon paltinggiparang, District Magistrate ba Sub-Divisional Magistrate-na uni dokkano baditana kingking acidrang dongengkua uarangko parakna nanggen.
 - (v) Palgiparang badita acid uamangni dokkano gnangchim uako uiatgija donako rim.a man.genchim ong.ode, District Magistrate / SDM uamangni dokkanoniko acidrangko ra.seke ra.gen aro Tangka hajal 50,000/- ko gamna nanggen.
 - (vi) Iako nirokenggipa District Magistrate/SDM kosako mesokatenggipa ge.etanirangko manigijagipa manderangko tangka hajal 50,000/- ko gamchina ge.etna bil donga.
3. Acidko rakkina nanggipa School ba Collegerang, Research Laboratoryrang, hospitalrang, Sorkarini Departmentrang aro Public Sector Undertaking Departmentrang, kamao janapgipa ge.etanirangko jarikna nanggen:
 - (i) Acidko jakkalani gimin registro se.e rakkina nanggen, aro uko biapni District Magistrate/SDM na mesokna gita nanggen.
 - (ii) Acidko naljokke simsakke rakkina, antangtangni acid donenggipa biaprango nitimgipa mandeko dona nanggen.
 - (iii) Acid donaniko ia nitimgipa mandean nirokna nanggen aro chatro-chatrirangko/laboratory-o kam kagipa manderangko/acidko donenggipa biapko check karonge rakkina nangchongmotgen.
4. Antangtangni areani ningo, janapgimin ge.etanirangko niam pe.gipa manderang dongode, District Magistrate aro Sub-Divisional Magistrate action rana nanggen.
5. Acid aro indakgipa bostuko bregiparang aro palgiparang, kosako uiatgimin ge.etanirangko rakken manina nanggen.

Joint Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Home (Police) Department.

The 9th December, 2013.

No.FOR.147/2011/24.

Whereas Shri. M.B.K.Reddy, IFS(RR-93) Conservator of Forests (GIS & PF), Office of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests has been found guilty by the Court of Special Magistrate, CBI Cases , Indore U/s s 417, 468 and 471 IPC r/w 511 IPC wherein the Learned Magistrate awarded sentence of three months RI and fine of Rs. 500/- for commission of offences U/s 471 IPC and two years RI and fine of RS. 500/- for offences U/s 468 and 471 r/w 511 IPC vide order dt. 3-11-2011

And whereas Shri. M.B.K.Reddy filed an appeal against the said Judgment in the Court of 4th Session Judge, Indore on 17-5-2012 wherein the Learned 4th Session Judge, Indore dismissed his appeal on 8-7-2013 and upheld the conviction pronounced by the Learned Special Magistrate, Indore.

And whereas CBI Bhopal vide letter No. 6726/DP/BHP/RC0081997S0003/CBI/BPL dt. 19.11.2013 have informed Government of Meghalaya that Shri. M.B.K.Reddy surrendered before the Trial Court on 24-9-2013 and was sent to jail and was released on bail on 10-10-2013.

And whereas Rule 3 (2) of the All India Services (Discipline and Appeal) Rules, 1969 states that a member of the Service who is detained in official custody whether on a criminal charge or otherwise for a period longer than forty eight hours shall be deemed to be suspended by the Government concerned under this Rule.

And whereas having regard to the Rule above, the Governor of Meghalaya is satisfied that it is necessary to place Shri. M.B.K.Reddy under suspension.

Now , therefore, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to place the said Shri. M.B.K.Reddy, IFS, under suspension with effect from 24-09-2013 until further orders.

By order and in the name
of the Governor of Meghalaya

(M.S. Rao IAS),
Principal Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya
Forests & Environment Department